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Survive the Savage Sea, by Dougal Robertson. "Sharks shall not eat Robertsons, Robertsons will eat sharks" is the motto of this amazing story of a family's survival for 38 days in a nine-foot dinghy after their schooner was destroyed on a round-the-world trip.

World Without End, Amen, by Jimmy Breslin. A gloomy, introspective novel about the troubles of the Irish, from Queens to Belfast—small, mean lives of spiritual poverty, drinking, hollow slogans and occasional violence.

In His Own Image: The Supreme Court in Richard Nixon's America, by James F. Simon. A perceptive study of how—after campaigning, in effect, against the Supreme Court—the President made strategic use of his unusual opportunity to replace four justices within three years.

Rabbit Boss, by Thomas Sanchez. An unusual first novel that chronicles the story of the last hundred years of the Washo Tribe, and the Indian's ironic vision of the white man as a savage earth-tourist and thief.

CORE: A Study in the Civil Rights Movement, 1942-1968, by August Meier and Elliott Rudwick. A definitive study of one of the pioneering civil rights organizations and its evolution from a largely white, liberal group promoting integration to a predominantly black nationalist movement.